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BAR MEMBERSHIP

Member of Lancaster and Pennsylvania Bar Associations: 1976 - present

Member of American Bar Association 1976 - 2016

Admitted to practice before all courts in the Commonwealth of
Pennsylvania, Federal District Court for the Eastern District
of Pennsylvania, United States Court of Appeals for the Third
Circuit, Supreme Court of the United States of America

FORMAL EDUCATION

Washington & Lee University, BA: 1971

Dickinson School of Law (Pennsylvania State University), JD: 1974

LEGAL CLERKSHIP

Law Clerk to the Hon. Glenn E. Mencer, former Judge on the
Commonwealth Court of Pennsylvania: 1975 - 1976 ¹

Clerk-Researcher-Draftman for Commonwealth of Pennsylvania General Assembly
Legislative Reference Bureau: 1974



EMPLOYMENT

Law Related:

Associate attorney: Shirk, Reist & Buckwalter (Shirk, Reist & Posey): 1976 - 1980

Partner and Managing Partner of Ephrata Branch: Shirk, Reist & Posey and successor firms:
1980 - 1991

Partner and Managing Partner: Kenelm L. Shirk, III Law Offices, Shirk & Ermolovich, LLP,
Shirk & Mejia, LLP: 1991 - 2016

Sole Proprietor: Shirk Law Associates: 2016 - Present

Pennsylvania Licensed Title Insurance Agent: USLIFE Title Insurance Company of New York:
1980 - 1986

Pennsylvania Licensed Title Insurance Agent: Commonwealth Land Title Insurance Agency
(Land America): 1986 - 2012

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania: Notary Public: 1993 - Present

Other:

Member-Ephrata Regional Advisory Board Farmers First Bank
(Susquehanna Bancshares, Inc.): 1979 - 2002 (Board Dissolved)

Assistant Secretary: 1984 - 1990

Secretary: 1990 - 2002

Lancaster County Eastern Advisory Board, Farmers First Bank (Susquehanna
Bancshares, Inc.): 2002 - 2004 (Board Dissolved)

BUSINESS, PROFESSIONAL AND SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS

Pennsylvania State Association of Township Supervisors:

Member: 1980's - Present

Pennsylvania State Association of Township Solicitors:

Member: 1990's - Present

FEMA IS-00700 Certified 2008

Pennsylvania State Association of Boroughs:

Member: 1990's - Present

Pennsylvania Bar Association:

Member-Municipal Law Section: 1980 - Present

Member-Labor & Employment Law Section: 1990* - Present

Member-Real Property Probate and Trust Law Section: 1980 - Present

Member-Business Law Section: 1990* - Present

Member-Tax Law Section: 1996* - Present

Member-Solo and Small Firm Practice Section: 1996* - Present

Member-Land Title Committee: 1984 - 1994

Member-Special Committee on Notaries: 1983 - 1986

Member-Municipal and District Justice Court Committee: 1984 - 1991

Ephrata Area Chamber of Commerce:

Member: 1976 - Present

Board of Directors: 1981 - 1984

President: 1982

First Vice President: 1981

Second Vice President: 1980

State Counselor: 1983

Ephrata Downtown Revitalization (Economic Development Board):

Member of Board of Directors: 1989 - 1992

President: 1990

Vice President: 1991, 1989

Downtown Ephrata, Inc.:

Committee Member: 2003 - 2007

Chair, Zoning Subcommittee: 2003 - 2007

Lancaster Bar Association:

Member-Municipal Law Committee: 1990* - Present

Fee Arbitration Panelist: 1989 - Present

Member - Elder Law Committee

Member-Delivery of Legal Services Committee (Lawyer Referral Service): 1980 - 1989

Member-Continuing Legal Education Committee: 1979 - 1983

President-Young Lawyers Section: 1980

Delegate to Pennsylvania Bar Association-Young Lawyers Division: 1979 - 1980

Zone Chairperson to Young Lawyers Section: 1981

Member-Unauthorized Practice Committee: 2008 - 2012

American Bar Association:

Member-State & Local Government Law Section: 1990* - Present

Member-Natural Resources-Energy & Env. Section: 1990* - Present

Member-Construction Industry Section: 1990* - Present

Member-Real Property Probate & Trust Law Section: 1990* - Present

Member-Section on Taxation Section: 1990* - Present
Subcommittee Member-Exempt Organizations
Subcommittee Member-Estate & Gift Taxes
Subcommittee Member-Fiduciary Income Tax

Member-Law Practice Management Section: 1990* - Present

Ephrata Lions Club:

Member: 1977 - Present

Chair-Program Committee: 1980 - 1983

Membership Committee: 1984 - 1985

Chair-Special Programs Committee: 1990 - Present

Board of Directors of Lancaster County Private Industry Council:

Member: 1983 - 1989

Purchasing Committee Member: 1984 - 1989

Purchasing Committee Chairperson: 1985 - 1989

Pennsylvania Bar Association--Professional Liability Insurance Committee:

Member: 1978 - 1989

Vice Chair: 1981 - 1989

Pennsylvania Bar Association--Young Lawyers Division:

Member: 1975 - 1988

Treasurer: 1982

Chair-By-Laws Committee: 1983 - 1985

Chair-Credentials Committee: 1983 - 1985

Parliamentarian: 1983 - 1985

Member-Delivery of Legal Services Committee: 1983 - 1985

Member-Practicum Committee: 1982 - 1985

Member-Economics of Law Practice Committee: 1982 - 1985

Kellers Cemetery of Springville:

Board of Directors: 2000 - Present
President: 2006 - Present

Other:

St. Peters Evangelical Lutheran Church:

2010- Present - Regularly Attending Member
Chair: Business Persons Breakfast Committee
Member: Constitution and ByLaws Committee
Active Participation in various fund raising events

American Planning Association:

Pennsylvania Chapter: 2005* - Present

Blackstonian Club:

Member: 1977 - 2000 (Dissolved)

BPOE Ephrata Lodge:

Member: 1978 - Present

Ephrata Public Library:

Planned Giving Committee: 2000 - 2003

Westpointe Ridge Condominium Association:

Board of Directors: 2005 - 2006

Commonwealth Court Historical Society:

Member: 2009 - Present

Representative Law Clients:

Akron Borough Council
Bart Township Board of Supervisors
Georgetown Area Sewer Authority
Blue Lake Builders, LLC
Carlyle Group, Inc.
Nolt Oil Co.
Nolt Auto Co.
Petra Christian Fellowship
Redcay Development Companies
Steffy Concrete, Inc.
Weber Bros. Auto

Financial and additional personal references available upon request